

## Game Management Unit 25

Unit 25, Fort Yukon: the Yukon River drainage upstream from but not including the Hamlin Creek drainage, and excluding drainages into the south bank of the Yukon River upstream from the Charley River;

Unit 25A: the Hodzana River drainage upstream from the Narrows, the Chandalar River drainage upstream from and including the East Fork drainage, the Christian River drainage upstream from Christian, the Sheenjek River drainage upstream from and including the Thluichohnjek Creek, the Coleen River drainage, and the Old Crow River drainage;

Unit 25B: the Little Black River drainage upstream from but not including the Big Creek drainage, the Black River drainage upstream from and including the Salmon Fork drainage, the Porcupine River drainage upstream from the confluence of the Coleen and Porcupine rivers, and drainages into the north bank of the Yukon River upstream from Circle, including the islands in the Yukon River;

Unit 25C: the drainages into the south bank of the Yukon River upstream from Circle to the Unit 20E boundary, the Birch Creek drainage upstream from the Steese Highway bridge (MP 147), the Preacher Creek drainage upstream from and including the Rock Creek drainage, and the Beaver Creek drainage upstream from and including the Moose Creek drainage;

Unit 25D: the remainder of Unit 25.

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## STATE RESTRICTED AREAS IN UNIT 25

(1) Dalton Highway Corridor Management Area (DHCMA)- Units 20, 24, 25, and 26 extending five miles from each side of the Dalton Highway, including the driveable surface of the Dalton Highway, from the Yukon River to the Arctic Ocean, and including the Prudhoe Bay Closed Area. The area within the Prudhoe Bay Closed Area is closed to the taking of big game; the remainder of the Dalton Highway Corridor Management Area is closed to hunting; however, big game, small game, and fur animals may be taken in the area by bow and arrow only; no motorized vehicle, except licensed highway vehicles on the following designated roads: 1) Dalton Highway; 2) Bettles Winter Trail during periods when BLM and the City of Bettles announce that the trail is open to winter travel; 3) Galbraith Lake road from the Dalton Highway to the BLM campground at Galbraith Lake, including the gravel pit access road when the gate is open; 4) Toolik Lake Road, excluding the driveway to the Toolik Lake Research Facility; 5) The Sagavanirktok River access road two miles north of Pump Station 2; 6) any constructed roadway or gravel pit within 1/4 mile of the Dalton Highway; aircraft, and boats may be used to transport hunters, their gear, or parts of game within the Dalton Highway Corridor Management Area; however, a snowmachine may be used to transport hunters, their hunting gear, or parts of game across the management area from land outside the management area to access land on the other side of the management area; any hunter traveling on the Dalton Highway must stop at any check station operated by the department within the Dalton Highway Corridor Management Area.

SPECIES AND BAG LIMITS	TICKET OR PERMIT TYPE	
BEAR, BLACK • See pages 24-27 for bear information and salvage requirements.		
Unit 25, except 25D: Residents & Nonresidents: Three bears		
Unit 25D: Residents: Three bears		
OR Three bears by permit		
Nonresidents: Three bears		
• No resident tag	required in Unit 25D	

- See pages 24-27 for additional bear hunting information.
- Nonresident hunters must be accompanied by a guide.
- Evidence of sex must remain naturally attached to the hide.

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Unit 25A and 25B: Residents & Nonresidents: One bear every regulatory year	Aug. 10—June 30
Unit 25C: Residents & Nonresidents: One bear every regulatory year	Sept. 1—May 31
Unit 25D: Residents: One bear every regulatory year	July 1—Nov. 30
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Nonresidents: One bear every regulatory year	
	Mar. 1—June 15

## **CARIBOU**

BEAR, BROWN/GRIZZLY

- In bag limit "caribou" means an animal of either sex; "bull" means a male caribou.
- In all hunts limited to one sex, evidence of sex must remain naturally attached to the

Units 25A and 25B: Residents: Ten caribou (see shaded box page 12)	Harvest	. July 1—Apr. 30
Nonresidents: Five caribou	Harvest	. July 1—Apr. 30
<b>Unit 25C:</b> west of the east bank of the mainstem of Preacher Creek to its confluence with American Creek, then west of the east bank of American Creek (White Mtn. herd):		
RESIDENTS & NONRESIDENTS: One bull	Harvest	. Aug. 10—Sept. 20
OR one caribou by permit RC879 available in person at Fairbanks and Central beginning	3	
Nov. 17	Registration	Dec. 1-Mar. 31

SPECIES AND BAG LIMITS	REQUIRED TICKET OR PERMIT TYPE	OPEN SEASON
Remainder of Unit 25C (Fortymile herd), RESIDENTS: One caribou by permit RC860 available in person in Tok, Eagle, Delta Junction, Fairbanks, Central, Douglas, Anchorage, and Palmer beginning Aug. 2	Registration	Aug. 10—Sept. 30
OR one caribou by permit RC867 available in person in Fairbanks, Delta Junction, Central, Eagle, and Tok beginning Nov. 17		Dec. 1—Feb. 28
Eagle, Fairbanks, Central, Douglas, Anchorage, and Palmer beginning Aug. 2		Aug. 10—Sept. 20
RESIDENTS & NONRESIDENTS: One bull. (see shaded box page 12)		
Nonresidents: Five caribou  In areas indicated by Federal restrictions exist see page 8		

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 50-inch antlers and brow tines defined on pages 30-31.
 In bag limit, "moose" means an animal of either sex; "bull" means a male moose.
 In all hunts limited to one sex, evidence of sex must remain naturally attached to the meat.

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Unit 25A, within the Dalton Highway Corridor Management Area: Residents: One bull by bow and arrow by permit only DM920 Nonresidents: One bull with 50-inch antiers or antiers with 4 or more brow tines on at least one side.by bow and arrow only by permit only DM920	· ·	
Remainder of Unit 25A, Residents: One bull.  Nonresidents: One bull with 50-inch antiers or antiers with 4 or more brow tines on at least one side.		Sept. 5—Sept. 25 Sept. 5—Sept. 25
Unit 25B, within the Porcupine River drainage upstream from, but excluding, the Coleen River drainage: RESIDENTS: One bull. Nonresidents: One bull with 50-inch antlers or antlers with 4 or more brow tines on at		
	Harvest	Sept. 5—Sept. 25 Dec. 1—Dec. 15
OR one bull by permit CM001  OR CM001  Nonresidents: One bull with 50-inch antilers or antilers with 4 or more brow tines on at	Community	Dec. 1—Dec. 15
least one side. Unit 25C: Residents: One bull. Nonresidents: One bull	Harvest	Sept. 1—Sept. 15
■Unit 25D, lying west of a line extending from the Unit 25D boundary on Preacher Creek, then downstream along Preacher Creek, Birch Creek, and Lower Mouth Birch Creek to the Yukon River, then downstream along the north bank of the Yukon River (including islands) to the confluence of the Hadweenzik River, then upstream along the west bank of the Hadweenzic River to the confluence of Forty and One-half Mile Creek, then upstream along Forty and One-Half Mile Creek to Nelson Mountain on the Unit 25D boundary.		
Residents: One bull by permit TM940		
Remainder of Unit 25D: Residents: One bull	Harvest	Feb. 18—Feb. 28
OR one bull by permit CM001  OR CM001  Nonresidents: One bull with 50-inch antlers or antlers with 4 or more brow	Community Community	Sept. 10—Sept. 20 Feb. 18—Feb. 28
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- Nonresident hunters must be accompanied by a guide (see Guide Information, page 11).
- See definition of full-curl horn and drawings on page 28.
- · Horns must accompany meat from the field.
- Ram horns must be sealed within 30 days of kill except registration hunt in Unit 25A.

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